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IN THE CLAIMS

Claim 1 (original): A brake disk for a disk brake, in particular for motor cycles or bicycles, comprising a brake band of a first material which has a high heat resistance and an inner part [[(20)]] of a second material which has a lower density than the first material, the brake band having a plurality of extensions [[(11)]] and the inner part [[(20)]] having a plurality of extensions [[(21)]], with the plurality of extensions of the brake band and of the inner part which in each case are arranged in pairs bordering one another, and a plurality of connecting elements [[(30)]] which connect the brake band [[(10)]] to the inner part [[(20)]] by being received in recesses (13, 23) formed in the plurality of extensions (11 and 21), wherein the recess [[(23)]] is formed in such a way that the connecting line [[(51)]] between [[the]] ends of the recess [[(23)]] is at an angle α of from 15 to 85° to [[the]] a tangential direction [[(50)]].

Claim 2 (currently amended): The brake disk as claimed in claim 1, wherein the angle α is from 20 to 60°, preferably from 25 to 40° and particularly preferably approximately 30°.

Claim 3 (currently amended): The brake disk as claimed in either of the preceding elaims claim 1, wherein [[that]] the end (231) of the recess [[(23)]] which is at [[the]] front in [[the]] a direction of rotation [[(40)]] during forward travel is a smaller distance away from the center of the brake disk than [[that]] the end (232) of the recess [[(23)]] which is at [[the]] back in direction of rotation [[(40)]] during forward travel.

Claim 4 (currently amended): The brake disk as claimed in any of the preceding claims or the preamble of claim 1, wherein a region that section (221) of [[the]] an edge [[(22)]] of the extension [[(21)]] which is before the recess [[(23)]] in the direction of rotation during forward travel is at an angle β relative to the tangential direction, [[that]] an end of the region section (221) which is at the front in the direction of rotation [[(40)]] during forward travel being a smaller distance away from [[the]] a center of the brake disk than [[that]] the end of the region (221) which is at the back in the direction of rotation [[(40)]] during forward travel.

Claim 5 (currently amended): The brake disk as claimed in any of the preceding claims or the preamble of claim [[1]] 4, wherein [[that]] a section (222) of the edge [[(22)]] of the extension [[(21)]] which is behind the recess in the direction of rotation during forward travel is

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at an angle γ to the tangential direction, [[that]] <u>an</u> end of the section (222) which is at the front in the direction of rotation [[(40)]] during forward travel being a smaller distance away from the center of the brake disk than that end of the section (222) which is at the back in the direction of rotation [[(40)]] during forward travel.

Claim 6 (original): The brake disk as claimed in claim 5, wherein the angle γ is greater than the angle α .

Claim 7 (original): The brake disk as claimed in claim 6, wherein the angle γ substantially corresponds to the angle α .

Claim 8 (currently amended): The brake disk as claimed in <u>claim</u> either of claims 6 and 7, depending on claim 4, wherein the angle γ is greater than the angle β .

Claim 9 (currently amended): The brake disk as claimed in <u>claim</u> either of claims 6 and $\frac{7}{3}$, depending on claim 4, wherein substantially the angle γ corresponds to the angle β .

Claim 10 (currently amended): The brake disk as claimed in any of the preceding elaims or the preamble of claim 1, wherein the recess [[(23)]] encloses the connecting element [[(30)]] in an angular range of more than 180° and preferably of more than 181°, 185°, 190° or 195°.

Claim 11 (currently amended): The brake disk as claimed in claim 10, wherein the angular range is from 185 to 300°, preferably from 190 to 270° and in particular approximately 200°.

Claim 12 (currently amended): The brake disk as claimed in <u>claim 1</u> any of the <u>preceding claims</u>, wherein the connecting elements [[(30)]] are bolts [[(31)]] and/or rivets.

Claim 13 (currently amended): The brake disk as claimed in <u>claim 1</u> any of the <u>preceding claims</u>, wherein the brake band [[(10)]] is formed from steel.

Claim 14 (currently amended): The brake disk as claimed in <u>claim 1</u> any of the <u>preceding claims</u>, wherein the brake band [[(10)]] is corrugated.

Claim 15 (currently amended): The brake disk as claimed in <u>claim 1</u> any of the <u>preceding claims</u>, wherein the brake band has holes [[(14)]] which are preferably in the form of slots.

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Claim 16 (currently amended): The brake disk as claimed in <u>claim 1</u> any of the <u>preceding claims</u>, wherein the inner part [[(20)]] is formed from light metal or a light metal alloy, in <u>particular from aluminum</u>, an <u>aluminum alloy</u>, titanium, a titanium alloy, a <u>magnesium alloy or another suitable light metal alloy</u>.

Claim 17 (currently amended): The brake disk as claimed in <u>claim 1</u> any of the <u>preceding claims</u>, wherein the inner part [[(20)]] has an inner ring [[(25)]] for fixing on a hub.

Claim 18 (currently amended): The brake disk as claimed in <u>claim 1</u> any of the <u>preceding claims</u>, wherein the extensions [[(21)]] of the inner part (20) have in each <u>have</u> [[case]] a strut (211) which is at [[the]] front in [[the]] <u>a</u> direction of rotation during forward travel and in each case a strut (212) which is at [[the]] back in the direction of rotation during forward travel.

Claim 19 (currently amended): The brake disk as claimed in any of the preceding elaims or the preamble of claim 1, wherein the extensions [[(21)]] of the inner part [[(20)]] each have in each case a strut (212) which is at [[the]]back in [[the]] a direction of rotation during forward travel and which is with a rear strut of the struts of the extensions oriented in such a way that the rear strut (212) lies to substantially lie in [[the]] a braking force direction occurring during braking during forward travel.

Claim 20 (new): The brake disk as claimed in claim 4, wherein a section of the edge of the extension which is behind the recess in the direction of rotation during forward travel is at an angle γ to the tangential direction, an end of the section which is at the front in the direction of rotation during forward travel being a smaller distance away from the center of the brake disk than that end of the section which is at the back in the direction of rotation during forward travel.